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Fairmont Senior Center

402-268-2831

Hours: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm

FOR A CONGREGATE MEAL OR A HOME DELIVERED MEAL, SUGGESTED CONTRIBUTION FOR AGE 60 & OVER IS \$8.00, PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A SUGGESTED CONTRIBUTION!!!

FOR CONGREGATE OR A CARRY-OUT MEAL FOR AGE 59 & UNDER THE COST IS \$10.00.

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VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED TO DELIVER MEALS TO PEOPLE AT HOME

Please Reserve by 3 p.m. the day before chosen meal.

Salad Bar open to the public, all ages welcome!

Tuesdays & Thursdays – full & side salads available excludes Birthday Dinner.

Village Office Email:

fairmontnebraska@gmail.com

Website: www.fairmont-nebraska.org

Village Contact Information

Village Trustees:

Chairperson:

Rod Ehmen 402-366-7239

Trustees:

Matt Hafer 402-366-1124

Bill Schropfer 402-366-1617

Stuart Bridges 402-759-1819

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Utility Outage Calls

If you experience a utility outage outside of normal business hours, call or text Utility Superintendent Mike Scheil (402) 759-0466 or Maintenance Technician Cody Edwards (402) 759-6832. If no one answers, please contact Chairperson Rod Ehmen (402) 366-7239

Tree Disposal Site Information

Tree disposal site hours are: Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays – 8a.m.-8 p.m. ONLY TREES, LEAVES & GRASS are accepted. Please do not leave plastic garbage bags of grass in the mulch pen. These plastic bags do not decompose and are not allowed by the Department of Environmental Quality. Also, please do not put leaves and grass in the tree pile nor add to the tree pile if it is burning or appears to be hot. Items other than trees, leaves and grass are being brought into the area. If the tree disposal and mulch pen site are continued to be misused by anything other than trees, leaves and grass, the village board will be forced to SEVERALLY limit the hours the area is open to residents.

What's Happening News

Hello,

We wanted to share a quick update with our *What's Happening* community. Beginning February 1st, 2026, our pricing will be adjusted to reflect rising costs and to help us continue providing the *What's Happening* to all our patrons. A letter with the adjusted rates will be mailed in January. This letter will include all relevant details regarding the update.

We appreciate your continued support and understanding. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out—we're always happy to help. Our phone numbers are 402-366-8012 and 402-268-6081.

Thank you for being part of our community!

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Fairmont American Legion
Earl Forbes Post 21



The American Legion Family

Fairmont Legion Auxiliary

Meet first Wed of each month @ 7:00 pm

Fairmont Legion Meeting

Meet first Wed of each month @ 7:30 pm

SONS of the AMERICAN LEGION

Meet last Sunday of each month @ 5:00 pm

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Meet last Sunday of each month @ 6:00 pm

Nana's Eats and Treats

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Fairmont Community Club

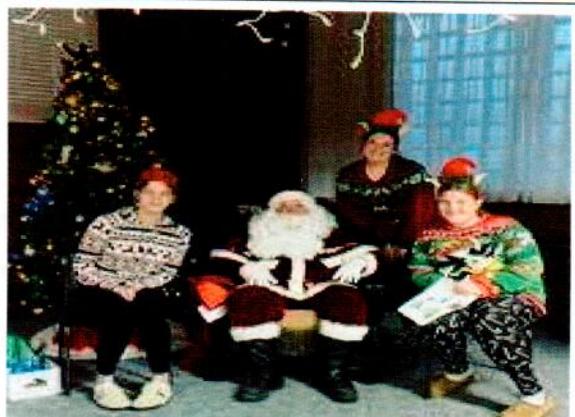
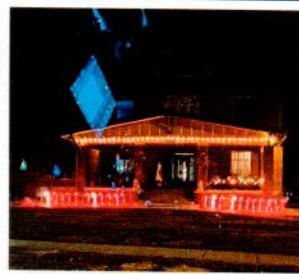
Fairmont Community Club Welcomes YOU!!! The Fairmont Community Club is **always** welcoming new members. There is no cost to join, no obligation to regularly attend all meetings, no requirements on specific volunteer hours.

CONGRATULATIONS to the winners of the Holiday Lights Competition!!

SAVE THE DATE:

Old Settlers Picnic: 150th Celebration June 26, 27, 28, 2026.

WE'RE ON THE MOVE: Fairmont Community Club meetings are now rotating locations! Our monthly meetings are the third Wednesday of the month at 7pm. Board members meet at 6:30 with the Club meeting at 7pm. If you live or work in Fairmont, we'd love to see you there! **New members are always welcome.**



Fairmont Community Church

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Pastor Michelle Lessard
Sunday Services 10:45a.m.
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Check out website for holiday services and activities

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Fairmont Community Foundation

600 F Street, PO BOX 428

Fairmont, Ne 68354

The Fairmont Community Foundation, established in 2025, proudly supports the Fairmont Public Library and the Fairmont Public Cemetery. As a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, the Foundation is dedicated to helping both institutions achieve excellence while strengthening community support.

The Foundation is governed by a volunteer board of five trustees. All donations and memorials—of any size—are tax-deductible and deeply appreciated. Donors' wishes regarding the use of their gifts are always honored.

For more information or to contribute, please feel free to contact any of our board members: Wanda Marget, Linda Heinish, Janet Stephenson, Linda Richters, or Georgia Schropfer.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent blood drive. Your generosity and willingness to volunteer and donate made a meaningful difference for patients and families in need. Because of your support, lives will be touched and our community is stronger. We are grateful to all who took the time to give and help make this event a success.

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The American Freedom Defenders Veterans Memorial Board is grateful to accept in-kind grain donations. For more details, please contact Abby at the Heartland Bank Trust in Geneva, NE.

For more information, visit the American Freedom Defenders Facebook page, where you will find a link to download, print our brochure and tile order forms. These forms are also available through board members and at Heartland Bank in Fairmont. The link to the website is: <http://afdvetransmemorial.square.site>



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WHAT'S HAPPENING
In Fairmont, Nebraska
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January 2026
Mailed by
Fairview Manor Auxiliary

Thurs Jan 1* NEW YEAR'S DAY

- * Senior Center, Village Hall and Library are closed.
- * No regular Fairmont United Women in Faith meeting this month.

Fri Jan 2* Library is closed

Sat Jan 3* Library is closed

Sun Jan 4* Fairmont Community Church @ 10:45 a.m. with Holy Communion

Mon Jan 5* School resumes for McCool Jct. Public Schools

Tues Jan 6* Fairview Manor Bible Study & Holy Communion @ 10:00 a.m.

* School resumes for Fillmore Central Public Schools

* Potluck Dinner at the Senior Center.

Wed Jan 7* Fairmont Legion Auxiliary meeting 7:00 p.m.

* Fairmont American Legion Meeting 7:30 p.m.

Sun Jan 11* Fairmont Community Church @ 10:45 a.m.

Mon Jan 12* Fairmont Public Library Board Meeting 4:15 p.m.

* Senior Center Board Meeting 6 p.m.

* Village Board Meeting 7 p.m.

Tues Jan 13* Food Distribution 12:30 in front of American Legion Club. Items will already be boxed will need to pick up.

Wed Jan 14* Adult Craft Night at the Library 7:00 p.m.

Thurs Jan 15* Bookworms will meet at 2:00 p.m. Wanda Marget is hosting.

Sun Jan 18* Fairmont Community Church 10:45 a.m.

Mon Jan 19* Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

* No school for Fillmore Central or McCool Jct. Public Schools

* Village Hall and Library are closed.

* Senior Center coffee only.

Tues Jan 20* Fairview Manor Bible Study @ 10:00 a.m.

* Foot Clinic at Senior Center 1-3 p.m.

* GFWC Fairmont Woman's Club will meet at the Senior Center @ 1:30 p.m. for a regular meeting and program. Thought for the Day will be by Donna Lefler. Roll Call is your favorite author. The program will be by Shelbi Palensky, the new Community Relations Manager for Caring Friends in Home Care. Hostesses are Doris Rogers and Beth Uden.

Wed Jan 21* Community Club meets at 7:00 p.m.

Thurs Jan 22* Blood Pressure Clinic @ 11:45 a.m. and Birthday Dinner at the Senior Center.

Sun Jan 25* Fairmont Community Church 10:45 a.m. with morning coffee at 10:30 a.m.

* Sons of the American Legion Meeting 5:00 p.m.

* American Legion Riders Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Tues Jan 27* Fairmont Fire and Rescue Meeting 7:00 p.m. at the Fire Barn.

Fairmont Public Library 402-268-6081
Email: fairmontpubliclibrary@gmail.com

Adult Craft Night is Wednesday, January 14th @ 7 p.m.

New Books Juvenile

Cats on Cats on Cats by Maddie Frost
Recess by Lane Smith
A Friend for Lucy by Jen-Ai Elena Molineaux
The Everything Trail by Meg Fleming
Old School by Gordon Korman
Astrid the Astronaut by Rie Neal
Zip Zap Wickety Wack by Matthew Diffe

New Books Adult

Nobody's Girl by Virginia Roberts Giuffre
Book and Dagger by Elyse Graham
The Thicket by Noelle W. Ihli
Theo of Golden by Allen Levi
Wreck by Catherine Newman
Alchemised by SenLin Yu
Haunted: Perron Manor by Lee Mountford